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Donald F. Albert et al.

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For

Insulated Barriers and Methods for Producing Same

Group Art Unit

1771

Examiner

Victor S. Chang

New York, New York 10020 October 10, 2003

Hon. Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

Transmitted herewith: [X] Amendment and Reply to Office Action to be filed in the above-identified patent application.

FEE FOR ADDITIONAL CLAIMS

- [X] A fee for additional claims is not required.
- [] A fee for additional claims is required.

The additional fee has been calculated as shown below:

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid for	Pre Ex	esent	Rate	Fees
TOTAL CLAIMS	23	-	37	=	0	x \$18	= \$0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	3	-	7	=	0	x \$86	= \$0.00
FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM						+ \$290	= \$0.00
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[X] The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16, in connection with the paper(s) transmitted herewith, or credit any overpayment of same, to deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is transmitted herewith.

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EXTENSION FEE

[X] The following extension is applicable to the Response filed herewith; [] \$110.00 extension fee for response within first month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); [] \$420.00 extension fee for response within second month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); [X] 950.00 extension fee for response within third month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); [] \$1480.00 extension fee for response within fourth month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); 1.136(a); \$2010.00 within fifth month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).
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I hereby certify that this certification and the following papers:

- 1. Transmittal Letter (3 pp. in duplicate);
- 2. Petition Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.13(a) For
 Extension Of Time (2 pp. in duplicate);
- 3. Amendment And Reply To Office Action (12 pp.);
- 4. Check in the amount of \$950.00; and
- 5. Return postcard.

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